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In Re Application Of: **Shmuel BEN-YAAKOV**

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ADDISON, Karen B.

Group Art Unit
2834

Title: **DRIVER FOR PIEZOELECTRIC MOTORS**

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. §121 AND §372

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Sir:

In the Office Action dated October 3, 2002 the Examiner finds that ~~the~~ above captioned application contains Groups I and II of inventions that are not linked by a ~~single~~ general inventive concept under PCT Rule 13.1. Group I is defined by claims 1-2 and 4-6. Group II is defined by claims 7-11, 13-39 and 40-47. (Applicant notes that in the Office Action Summary page, in "Disposition of Claims" the claims listed as pending are erroneously listed as claims 1, 2, 4-11 and 13-46. The pending claims, are claims 1, 2, 4-11 and 13-47. The latter listing is consistent with the grouping of claims used to define Groups I and II on page 2 of the Office Action.)

In accordance with 35 U.S.C. §121 and §372 as implemented by 37 C.F.R. §1.499, the Examiner requires applicant to elect a single group of inventions for examination.

Applicant accordingly elects to have the inventions of Group II, defined by claims 7-11, 13-39 and 40-47, examined. An action on the merits is respectfully awaited.

Respectfully submitted,
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